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This event coming now, when the full season for the wear of both suits and dresses is yet ahead of us, is a convincing example of our helpful merchandising methods—the lowness of the prices, compared with the values, is very evident.

Suits at \$16.75—Black and Navy Blue Serge Suits, of the best quality men's suiting serge; coats cut on new modified cutaway lines that so many women have chosen this spring because of their pretty effect and the excellence of fit; lined with messaline silk; skirts of the newest style.

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Decollete and high-neck models, some with waists of chiffon over embroidery, others elaborately draped with laces, giving expression to the very modish types of the season. Laces, fancy ornaments, shirtings, ruchings, embroideries, and crystal and fancy buttons suggest daintiness and attractiveness always associated with summer gowns. Sizes 16 to 40.

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Silk Dresses at \$14.75—Taffeta, Striped Messaline and Silk Serge, in brown, green, navy, and black, and the very fashionable changeable effects so much sought after at present; excellent models for street, afternoon, and house wear. For women who prefer dark colors this is a splendid opportunity.

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The President and Mrs. Taft occupied a box last night at the performance of the Follies Players in "Nobody's Widow," which marks the opening of the spring season at the Metropolitan.

Miss Gladys Ingalls, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Melville E. Ingalls, of Cincinnati, entertained at a dinner followed by dancing last night in honor of Miss Helen Taft and her house guests, the Misses Rosalie, of New York, and Mrs. Robert Taft and his guests, Mr. George Harrison, Mr. Walter Logan, and Mr. Hinkley, all classmates of Mr. Taft at Harvard. Mr. and Mrs. Ingalls and their daughter, who have spent the winter in Washington, have occupied the George Howard house in Sixteenth Street.

The Brazilian Ambassador, Senor da Gama, entertained at dinner last evening in honor of the Japanese Ambassador and his suite. The guests included the Secretary of War and Mrs. Stimson, the Attorney General and Mrs. Wickham, Senator Bacon, Representative Butler, Senator Dr. Hittler, the Portuguese Minister, Viscount d'Alta, the Danish Minister and Countess Moltke, the Norwegian Minister and Mrs. Arns, the Spanish Minister and Mrs. Miano, the Belgian Minister and Mrs. Havenhill, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Whitte, Col. and Mrs. Conby, Mr. and Mrs. Chandler Anderson, Mrs. John B. Henderson, the Countess Markey, Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Gaff, Mrs. Frank Ellis, and Mrs. H. Wadsworth, Miss Mary Patton, Miss Josephine Patton, Mr. Pimentel, of the embassy staff, and Mr. A. Maurier.

The guests were seated at five small tables holding eight guests each. They were each decorated in different colors, representing miniature Italian gardens. Little statuettes, with my figures on little glass pedestals, with electric lights inside the pedestals, made a fairy-like effect. This was one of the most brilliant and beautiful dinners given here.

Mrs. Bakmeteff, wife of the Russian Ambassador, has been designated by the Emperor of the Russian government to be a delegate to the Red Cross convention, Mr. Dmitroff, of the embassy staff, is also to be a delegate, as he has had great experience in the work, having been in charge of the Russian Red Cross department in Manchuria during the Russo-Japanese war.

Mrs. Meyer, wife of the Secretary of the Navy, left Washington yesterday for Boston to attend the funeral of her cousin, Mr. T. Jefferson Coffey, Jr., a young bachelor, who was well known in Washington society as in Boston. She will return to Washington in a few days.

The Messrs. Fisher arrived yesterday to spend their spring vacation with their parents, the Secretary of the Interior and Mrs. Fisher. They are students at Harvard University.

Mat. William E. Horton, U. S. A., entertained at a large dinner and dance last evening at the Chevy Chase Club, which was in the nature of a farewell for that popular officer. He is being transferred from the office of the Quartermaster General in the department to Governors Island, N. Y., to be assistant to the Chief Quartermaster of the Eastern division.

He had about 110 guests this evening seated around a table which formed a hollow oblong. The hollow was filled with palms and blossoms, and studied with electric lights of many colors. The inner side of the table was draped with flags and the pennant of the Quartermaster Department. The host flag of the Quartermaster General was in front. The guests were seated in the following order: Mrs. George Patton, wife of Lieut. George S. Patton, Fifteenth Cavalry, and the other guests were Miss Katharine Ayer, sister of Capt. Patton; Representative Butler Ames, Gen. Wetherston and Mrs. Wetherston, Col. and Mrs. Garrard, Mrs. Edward Burr, Mrs. L. R. Burr, Mrs. Richard Marlow, Col. McCarthy, U. S. A., Col. McMahon, U. S. A., and Mrs. McMahon, Col. Stanley, U. S. A., and Mrs. Stanley; Capt. Bulmer, U. S. N., and Mrs. Bulmer; Maj. Winslow, U. S. A.; Maj. Connor and Mrs. Connor, Capt. Barnhardt, U. S. A., and Mrs. Barnhardt; Capt. Patterson, U. S. A., and Mrs. Patterson; Mrs. Copley Thaw, Capt. Cochran, U. S. C. A., and Mrs. Cochran; Capt. Wagner, U. S. A., and Mrs. Wagner; Lieut. Timmons, U. S. A., and Mrs. Timmons; Lieut. Barnett, U. S. A., and Mrs. Barnett; Miss Dorothy Williams, Miss Marshall, Miss Whiting, Miss Jane Whiting, Miss Estelle Crane, Miss Hammond, Miss Hoyle, Miss Marion Oliver, Miss Elizabeth Reid Rogers, Miss Wood, Miss Owen, Miss Jeanette Allen, Miss Elizabeth Noyes, Miss Chas. Noyes, Miss Ruggles, Miss Talbot, Miss Anne Greble, Miss Hewry, Miss Ruth Hitchcock, Miss Weeks, Miss Julia Hoyle, Miss Haywood, Miss Dorothy Gray Brooks, Miss Knight, Miss Beatty, Miss McDermott, Miss E. E. Burn, Maj. Delaney, Mr. Bingham, Capt. Proctor, Mr. Richardson, Capt. Lindsey, Capt. Talbot, Lieut. Leahy, Mr. W. B. Clarke, Mr. John W. Davidge, Mr. W. B. Lieut. Dunn, Lieut. Manly, Capt. Williams, Lieut. Stirling, Lieut. Bastedo, Lieut. Rockwell, Lieut. Garlington, Dr. Grayson, Lieut. Long, Mr. Totten, Capt. Little, Mr. Charles F. White, Capt. McCoy, Lieut. Cook, Lieut. Bagby, Lieut. Hickey, Mr. John L. Phillips, Lieut. Sheridan, Lieut. Raymond Rodgers, Maj. Lieut. Lieut. Lieut. Lieut. Lieut. Lieut. McDowell, Paymaster Knapp, Lieut. Conolly, Lieut. Pullen, Lieut. Greble.

Mrs. Lathicum, wife of Representative Lathicum, of Baltimore, will entertain at a reception this afternoon in her apartment at the Dresden in honor of Mr. Matthew T. Scott and the members of the national board, D. A. R. The delegations from the States of Maryland and New York are cordially invited from 5 to 7 o'clock.

Dr. and Mrs. Fremont-Smith entertained at a musical and tea yesterday afternoon in honor of their house guest, Mr. Charles Anthony, of Boston, who gave a piano recital for the guests. Mr. Anthony will leave shortly for London to fill engagements.

Capt. J. A. Moss, U. S. A., was host at a box party at the Belasco Theater last night. His guests were Gen. and Mrs. G. A. Smith, Gen. and Mrs. E. A. Garlington, Gen. and Mrs. R. K. Evans, Gen. and Mrs. William Crocker, Col. and Mrs. McCain, Gen. James B. Alexander, and Capt. and Mrs. J. J. Burt.

Mrs. James Whitely Heron has issued invitations for the marriage of her daughter, Lella Belle, and Mr. James Henry Butler, at St. Stephen's Church, Tuesday, April 23, at 5 o'clock.

Mrs. Cyrus Pilot, of New York, is the house guest of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Bell, at their suburban estate, Twin Oaks, Woodley Lane.

Mrs. W. Finley Davidson and Mr. James William Scoggin, both of Petersburg, Va., were married yesterday at 11:30 o'clock in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Scoggin.

Mrs. Richard Alfred Allen, 21 A Street Southeast, after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Scoggin left for New York City to spend their honeymoon.

Mrs. Richard Townsend, who has as her house guest Mrs. T. B. Thomas, of New York, will entertain a company of young people at a dinner in her home to-morrow evening.

The Military Attache of the French Embassy and Countess de Chambrun will be hosts at a dinner Thursday evening in honor of their house guest, Mr. Buckner Wallingford, of Cincinnati, a sister of the Countess.

Mr. D. Paul Spear, a junior at Harvard is spending his spring vacation with his parents, Representative and Mrs. Spear of Pennsylvania, at the Highlands.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Leiter expect to take possession of their country home on the banks of the Potomac at its completion, about May 1. Yesterday afternoon a party of young people accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Leiter for a tour of inspection of the place on horseback.

The marriage of Mrs. Oliver Lake Williams to Mr. Ernest R. McComas will take place this evening at 7 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Dwight T. Scott, in the Washington, D. C. Mr. McComas is a graduate of the University of Pennsylvania. Miss Louise McKee and Miss Amelia McKee will attend the bride as flower girls and will be the only attendants. Following the wedding Mr. and Mrs. McComas will leave Washington for a wedding trip, and upon their return will make their home in Chevy Chase.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward McCauley will entertain a company at dinner this evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Beale Bloomer are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a daughter on Saturday. Mrs. Bloomer was formerly Miss Katherine Claibough, daughter of Chief Justice Claibough, of the District Supreme Court.

Mrs. A. J. Halford, who has been spending the winter as the guest of her son and daughter-in-law, Lieut. and Mrs. Dean Halford, U. S. A., at Fort Sam Houston, Tex., arrived in Washington, and is visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Lieut. and Mrs. Walter V. Woodson, U. S. N., at the Dupont.

The engagement is announced of Miss Hilda Farr, daughter of Representative John R. Farr, of Scranton, Pa., to Mr. Robert A. Baggis, Mr. Baggis is a graduate of the law and college departments of the University of Pennsylvania. He is a former president of the law academy of Philadelphia, and a member of the Pennsylvania Bar Association.

Miss Mary Campbell, of Birmingham, Ala., and Mr. Lewis Underwood, son of Representative Oscar W. Underwood, will be married in Birmingham April 26.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Nelson Page, of Washington, are motoring in Southern Texas before going to Sicily. They will return in time for the midsummer season at York Harbor. Mrs. Page's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Algeron Burroughs, of England, will probably come back with them for their usual summer at the Harbor, where Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lindsay, the latter Mrs. Page's youngest daughter, also spend the summer months.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thomas Neale have issued cards for the marriage of their daughter, Viola Elizabeth, and Mr. William Alfred Kemper, Tuesday evening, April 23, at 8 o'clock at the Rhode Island Avenue Methodist Protestant Church. At home after June 1 at 28 Bryant Street Northwest.

Mrs. H. Lansing Perrine, visiting D. A. R. from Allenhurst, N. J., is stopping at 1221 Vermont Avenue.

The Southern Industrial Educational Association will hold an exhibit of mountain crafts this entire week in honor of the Daughters of the American Revolution, who are invited to visit the headquarters of the association in room 22 Southern Building, to see these industries.

Mr. and Mrs. George P. Thomas, of Batavia, N. Y., who are returning from a trip from Florida, Cuba, and the West Indies, are visiting in the city for a few days.

Lecture on Capital's Conditions. Oscar Taylor, of the Census Bureau, delivered a lecture on "Conditions at the National Capital" at Lincoln Temple, Eleventh and B Streets, last night. Rev. William Wallace McCarty, Rev. Joseph N. Neuman, and Prof. James Lawson also spoke. Mrs. Eva Bell Heintz arranged a musical programme in which William H. West featured.

Senator Tillman Back. Senator Tillman was in his seat yesterday, having been absent at his home in South Carolina for several weeks. His health has considerably improved. He has discarded the help of a cane in walking.

Central High Plans Picnic. Alumni and students of Central High School have arranged a picnic and reunion at Marshall Hall on May 21. A ball game will be played and other sports will be participated in by the picnickers.

BROADWAY ACTRESS CONQUERS WRINKLES. Society women and actresses all over the United States are deeply interested in a marvelous new wrinkle remover which has been recently introduced into the United States by the Princess Yoko Taka Company, of Denver, Colo. The new process of eliminating wrinkles, even the deepest and most stubborn, is said to have been a revelation to the world. Women who have been troubled with wrinkles are said to be interested to know that the new treatment is said to be so easy and so effective, that it is now being used by the most famous actresses and the most famous beauties in the world.

One of the best known actresses in the United States, who is no longer in the first flush of youth, is said to have been the member of the audience to introduce the new discovery to stage. She appeared one day on Broadway, gave the story, with a skin like a child's and all signs of the ravages of time completely obliterated. She was literally besieged by her friends and finally had the secret of having learned of the Princess Yoko Taka Co. in the treatment of wrinkles. She has been so successful in her treatment that she has been asked to give a demonstration of the new process to the public.

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Ten Plates.....	\$2.50	\$2.00	Ten Plates.....	\$3.50	\$2.50
Bread and Butter Plates.....	\$1.50	\$1.00	Bread and Butter Plates.....	\$2.50	\$1.50
Soup Plates.....	\$2.50	\$2.00	Soup Plates.....	\$2.50	\$2.00
Sauce Dishes.....	\$2.50	\$2.00	Sauce Dishes.....	\$2.50	\$2.00
Ten Cups and Saucers.....	\$2.50	\$2.00	Ten Cups and Saucers.....	\$2.50	\$2.00
Sauces.....	\$2.50	\$2.00	Sauces.....	\$2.50	\$2.00
After Dinner Coffee.....	\$2.50	\$2.00	After Dinner Coffee.....	\$2.50	\$2.00
Covered Vegetable Dishes.....	\$2.50	\$2.00	Covered Vegetable Dishes.....	\$2.50	\$2.00
Open Vegetable Dishes.....	\$2.50	\$2.00	Open Vegetable Dishes.....	\$2.50	\$2.00
Cake Plates.....	\$2.50	\$2.00	Cake Plates.....	\$2.50	\$2.00
Chop Dishes.....	\$2.50	\$2.00	Chop Dishes.....	\$2.50	\$2.00
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Representative Powers to Speak. Representative Caleb Powers will speak at Commemorative Temple Baptist Church to-night, the fiftieth anniversary of the emancipation of the negro slaves. Representative Powers and Rev. Simon P. W. Drew will be presented with silver loving cups by the congregation.

Death of William Robts. William Robts, a civil war veteran, died at the Soldiers' Home yesterday morning. Robts was a native of Scotland and served in Company C of the First Infantry in the war. He has no relatives in this country. Funeral services will be held at the home to-day.

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In answer to these inquiries, The Washington Herald frankly states that it knows of no manner in which titles with reference to its contest can be systematically inspected, and knows of no reference work which will be of real help to the contestants. An immense amount of labor would be involved in going over lists of the works of famous authors. These lists, of course, can be obtained from any library, or at least studied there. Whether in the long run they will be much aid to the competitor is a question.

In other words, the idea must spring from the picture. When one selects a probable or tentative title, it is easy to verify the title on the library lists. But to go over the lists with the hope of striking a title which will fit the puzzle, as many have indicated their intention of doing, would be a waste of time.

The contest is a real contest of wit and ingenuity, and not of labor and research. That constitutes one of its chief attractions. No one has an undue advantage, whether he has ample leisure or not. The correct answers will often come after hours of thinking and speculation, or on the spur of the moment.

The Booklovers' contest is one of the most popular ever inaugurated in Washington. The first week demonstrated its hold upon the public taste. There is a wide public interest in books and "bookishness," and anything stimulating a literary interest is certain to have a wide following.

WESTERN HORSES ENTERED. Miss Louisa Long's String to Compete in Capital Show.

Miss Louisa Long, of Kansas City, a most noted horsewoman of the West, will be in Washington with a string of eight thoroughbreds for the National Capital Horse Show, May 1 to 4, according to announcement made yesterday.